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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application No.: 10/528,062  
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Applicant: Joachim HORNEGGER et al.  
Group Art Unit: 2628  
Examiner: Nguyen, Phu K.  
Title: COMPUTER-AIDED SELECTION METHOD FOR  
A PORTION OF A VOLUME  
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**STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.133(b)**

Sir:

In response to the telephonic interview conducted on September 29, 2008 and the Interview Summary dated October 7, 2008, the following remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

**Interview Summary**

Applicants wish to thank Examiner Nguyen for his time and helpful comments during the telephonic interview of September 29, 2008. During the telephonic interview, it was agreed that if claims 16-18 are amended to

replace the language "computer-readable medium" with "computer-storage medium" and claim 19 is amended to replace the language "a selection method as claimed" with "the claimed selection method," via an Examiner's amendment, the application would be allowed.

**CONCLUSION**

Should there be any outstanding matters that need to be resolved in the present application; the Examiner is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned at the telephone number of the undersigned below.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 08-0750 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.

Respectfully submitted,

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